he pine organ recitals, and the Pathe concerts will be given today at

its leading feature. The act offers in popular vaudeville what the famous "Follies" supply to higher-priced entertainment. It is heralded as pleasing to the eye and to the ear and one of the most attractive of the latter-day novelties. It will be supported by a bill whose chief claim is quality and variety of the widest sort in the five added offerings, which will include the famous Five Bragdon Farceurs in a laughable creation entitled "The Booking Office" which gives a farcical acfamous Five Bragdon Farceurs in a laughable creation entitled "The Booking Office," which gives a farcical account of the troubles of a vaudeville agent in assembling his show; Brooks and Harris, a light comedy team in refined specialties; Nick Castano and Harry Nelson, a fine tenor and a comedian, in a blended offering of which the singing is the feature; Tenney and Gould, in an amusing musical act along old-fashioned lines, and Twisto, a prodigy in flexibility, whose feats are new and interesting. The added attractions will include the latest issue of the Hearst-Selig news pictures, foreign and domestic, and an offering of fine photoplay features that are changed daily.

A new bill for the last half of the week will be presented for the first which Thursday matinees.

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### Cosmos Concerts Today.

Suppe's "Pique Dame" overture, Ber "Bunch of Roses," Delibes "Nalia," valse lente; Rubinstein's "Kammenoi Ostrow," Raff's "Cavatina," "Dance of the Hours" from Ponchielli's "La Gioconda," Trinkhaus' idyll, cluded in the concert program, by ar enlarged orchestra, under Arthur Maneniarged orchestra, under Arthur Man-vell, at the Cosmos concerts today from 3 to 10:30 p.m. Besides the fea-ture orchestral program, a number of artistic specialties and a generous measure of feature photoplays of the best kind will enter into the entertain-ment.

# CASINO

be disclosed until the first performance omorrow, Manager Louis J. Fosse of the Casino promises an array of atthe new season at that house Topping the list are Williams and Cady Topping the list are Williams and Cady, successors to Rice and Cady, a latter-day combination suggestive of Weber and Fields. Gwinne and Gassett appear in a rural comedy without slapstick accompaniments, but combining comedy and a pretty story. Coming to this country on account of the European war, the Assina Spanish students were secured by Manager Fosse. They were secured by Manager Fosse. They are said to be favorites on the continent. The Five Martells perform on unicycles and bicycles and De Leon and Orma in "six feet of comedy" that is a rapid fire bombardment of mirth. Is a rapid fire bombardment of mirth.

at the Gayety Theater this week, commencing with a matinee tomorrow afternoon. The supporting cast includes Frank Brambard, Jean Leighton, Violet Pearl, Kathryn Pearl, Annette Walker Frankie Larrell, Grace Sachs, Billy

Pearl, Kathryn Pearl, Annette Walker, Frankie Larrell, Grace Sachs, Billy Meehan and others well known on the burlesque stage, with a large and well drilled chorus, which displays many handsome costumes and adds materially to the singing and dancing.

A new edition of "Krausmyer's Alley" and "The Bashful Venus" will be presented, each filled with clear comedy, interspersed with up-to-date song numbers and dancing ensembles pleasing to the eye. A number of vardeville acts also will be presented, including society dances by Billy Meehan and Violet Pearl, who have been making a hit this season. Scenery designed and painted by one of the best artists in that line, with electrical effects, are features of the show.

# Gayety Today.

Manager Harry Jarboe of the Gayety Theater has announced that the per formance given by the Rosey Posey Girls this week will be given today without changes. The production, it is formance will conform to the Sunday regulations. Harry Bentley is the fea-tured comedian and the performance contains a number of specialties and singing numbers. stated, is so arranged that the per-



production made at Laura Keene's Theater, New York, May 12, 1858.

He has also made inquiry for programs of Sothern's Varieties Theater, New Orleans, of the year 1859; of Sothern's Varieties Theater, Halliax, Nova 2011; of Sothern's Varieties Theater, Halliax, Nova 2012; of Sothern's Varieties T

# "Under the Red Robe."

Next week the Poli Players will be The steamer Charles Macalester will

in the action. To these are added an augmented symphony orchestra and the Keith orchestra, all under the direction of Max Hoffmann. The music is by Victor Hollanda. The plot unfolds a dramatic story of love and jealousy, revenge and death. Here and there it has the touch of the grotesque. The production is really magnificent from the standpoint of scenery and investiture. Bizarre features are "The Flowery Way," a floral bridge over footlights and orchestra: "The Sheik's Palace," "The Oriental Bazaar" and "The Harem Bath."

The remaining numbers of the bill include Wilson Mizner's startling comedy. "Ships That Pass in the Night". Mae Melville, comedienne: Chauncey Monroe and Company in "A Business Proposal"; the Misses Lightner and Newton Alexander as "A Jolly Trio"; Binns and Bert, English comedians; the pipe organ recitals, and the Pathe

the latest vaudeville musical comedy. "Safety First," written by Tom Gray, author of the comedy hit, "She's In Again," and staged by Ned Wayburn, will be the hig feature. Constarring in Again, and staged by Ned Wayburn, will be the big feature. Co-starring in the Marker, Williams and Wolfus, the Heneyboy Minstrels, Bancroft and Broski, W. J. Kelly, Sammy Weston and Sidney Clare, Robert and Bea Verera, the pipe organ recitals and the Pathe motion pictures.

Again, and staged by Ned Wayburn in are Sophye Barnard of "The Red Widow" fame and Lou Anger, the dialect comedian. It is in two scenes. The chorus contingent has been trained by Mr. Wayburn in numerous new dance conceptions, and James Gorman has drilled the ensemble in the musical numbers and marches. The hill will Honeyboy Minstrels, Bancroft and Broski, W. J. Kelly, Sammy Weston and Sidney Clare, Robert and Bea Verera, the pipe organ recitals and the Pathe motion pictures.

COSMOS

The Cosmos Theater, this week, will introduce to its patrons "The Frolics of 1915," a novel singing and dancing revue, with an attractive sextet of show girls gowned in beautiful creations as its leading feature. The act offers in popular vaudeville what the famous serviced en.

### "Liberty Girls."

In next week's attraction at the Gayety Theater the spectacle and allegory have a conspicuous place in the Girls," including a half hour travesty on Planquette's comic opera, "The

Theater will open two weeks from to-morrow night, September 27, the attraction being a new musical comedy, "Too Near Paris," which will introduce Liane Carrera as a musical comedy star in this country.

star in this country.

Mile. Carrera is the daughter of Anna Held and has appeared in America only in a special vaudeville engagement. The musical comedy has been fitted to her personality, and she will be supported by John W. Ransome, Charles P. Morrison, Henrietta Lee, Nick Judels and eight other well known artists, together with a big chorus and a special orchestra.

The National has been undergoing a general overhauling during the past

general overhauling during the past two months, and will present a new appearance at its opening. The first bill, it is announced, has been selected with particular reference to the G. A. with particular reference to the San.
R. encampment.
The season's attractions at the National will include the best attractions of the Frohman corporation and Klaw & Erlanger, as well as the leading stars in the newest comedies and

Lyceum Opens September 27. L G. Grossman former lessee and Grieves as resident manager the Lytember 27 as a home of burlesque entertainment, at popular prices, with weekly attractions drawn from the western burlesque wheel, which has houses in Baltimore, New York, Scran-ton and Wilkscharre

### ton and Wilkesbarre Writing His Memoirs.

Probably in anticipation of his early inicycles and one and orma in "six feet or and or a rapid fire bombardment or and feature motion picture reel rounds out the program.

A baby checking bureau is an innovation which Manager Fosse has provided for the Casino. Every afternoon mothers are bringing their children to the theater and leaving them with the maids in the dressing rooms, where they are cared for during the performance.

Mr. Sothern has been endeavoring to obtain some rare old programs and the atrical portraits for his purpose, among them programs of the production of "Our American Cousin" at the Haymarket Theater, London, November 11, 1861, or thereabouts, and at the Theater.



EDWIN H. SOTHERN.

yet the little comedy seems to never grow stale.

Florence Martin will play the character of Peg. She will be supported by an excellent company under the mangement of Oliver Morosco. This is her third season in the part.

among ner notable successes her role of provided the company under the character of the company under the mangement of Oliver Morosco. This is her third season in the part.

# Indian Head Trip.

seen for the first time in many months make a special forty-mile trip to Inmake a special forty-mile trip to Inline a romantic costume drama, "Under the Red Robe," Edward E. Rose's successful dramatization of J. Stanley Weyman's novel. "Under the Red Robe" was produced a decade ago, and em-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy and em-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Potomac and the autumnal scenic beauties of Virginia and Mary-limited to enjoy a delightful sail down the Shuberts produce Lehar's new opera, "Alone at Last."

\*\*Charles B. Dillingham has decided to either.\*\*

Another great American play, popular for two generations through its human note and tender appeal, "Esmeralda," has been perpetuated on the screen by the Famous Players Film Company, with Mary Pickford pictured in the title

owing to the many requests that have been received for this popular star in this production the management of the Columbia Theater has arranged to deviate from the usual custom of presenting one production for the first part of the week and another the latter part. "Esmeralda" therefore, with Miss Pickford, will be the attraction during the entire week, starting this afternoon at entire week, starting this afternoon at

The rural background in which the



MARY PICKFORD, Columbia.

the unassuming country girl who, because of the discovery of enormous wealth in ore on the farm, is torn from her humble home and her childhood sweetheart and forced by a designing mother to enter the giddy whirl of the artificial society of a large city.

Fuller Mellish is pictured as the simple, loving, hen-pecked old father of "Esmeralda." Charles Waldron is seen as the country sweetheart.

The photo production of the Belasco success, "The Case of Becky," will be next week's attraction. Blanche Sweet will be pictured as Becky. Frank Reicher, the stage director, who acted as Belasco's chief lieutenant during the production of the original play, directed

luction of the original play, directed the making of the photoplay. During the latter half of next week Charlotte Walker, the emotional actress, will be pictured in "Out of Darkness."

### Crandall's.

Betty Nansen, the tragedienne, will dall's Theater today and until Wednesday in "The Song of Hate," which is based upon Victorien Sardou's "La Miss Nansen is said to have given particular study to the char-



DOROTHY BERNARD, Crandall's.

acter of Floria Tosca. The production calls for settings depicting modern military forts, and under a special permit from the government, it is said, scenes were taken at the gun-proving grounds at Sandy Hook reservation, where the biggest United States guns are tried out. The supporting cast in the pictures includes Arthur Hoops, Claire Whitney and Dorothy Bernard, a Washington favorite. Thursday and Friday Holbrook Blinn will make his second motion picture appearance, in "The Ivory Snuffbox," in five parts, by Frederic Arnold Kummer, in which Mr. Blinn is seen as an American detective acter of Floria Tosca. The production Blinn is seen as an American detective in the employ of the French governin the employ of the French government, commissioned to recover a lost ivory snuffbox, the property of the French ambassador, Alma Belwin, a newcomer in pictures, plays the part of Grace Ellicot, whom the detective meets, loves and marries. The photo is filled with thrills. Concerts by the orchestra will be featured every day. Next week's program will feature Nat C. Goodwin in "Business is Business," taken from Octave Mirbeau's French tragedy and picturized in five parts, and "The Regeneration," featuring Rockcliffe Fellows.

Masonic Auditorium. The Masonic Auditorium inaugurates ter des Italiens, Paris, July 8, 1867, with Henry Irving in the cast as Abel Murcott and E. A. Sothern as Lord first show at 2:30 p.m., the second at Dundreary, as well as programs of the production made at Laura Keene's Theater, New York, May 12, 1858.

He has also made inquiry for proa new policy, beginning today, for the

H. H. Frazee is to produce a play called "Sherman Was Right." The tour of "Trilby," with Phyllis Neilson-Terry as the star, began in Toronto last week.

"Experience," George V .Hobart's morality play, has proved such a success that a second company is being formed to present the piece.

Andrew Mack and the "Arrah-Na-Pogue" company did not go far on the season's tour. After one week at Lynn the company disbanded.

"Watch Your Step," which played in New York all last season with the Castles in the stellar roles, has been transferred Cohan and Harris tried out "Hit the Trail, Holiday" at Long Branch last week. Fred Niblo was seen in the title role.

Swan and Bambard, appearing at the Gayety this week, have been in part-nership for thirty years, longer than any one except McIntyre and Heath.

Tim Murphy has been engaged for the part of Bill Jones in the Punch and Judy Theater, New York, production of "Treasure Island." Edna Goodrich returned last wee from Europe, and immediately started for Los Angeles, where she is to be featured in a film production.

presentation. Jack Deveraux has been selected for Frank Craven's role in "Under Fire."

Craven has accepted another engage-

"See My Lawyer," with T. Roy Barnes in the principal role, closed last night in New York. It ran just one week and will not go on tour. Sophye Barnard and Lou Anger, with eir company of thirty-five people, cele-rated the premier of "Safety First" at tlantic City last week. It is a big

Marie Tempest opened her season in New York last Monday night, appear-ing in "The Duke of Killicrankie" and a one-act play by Barrie, entitled "Rosalind."

Through the enterprise of George Grossmith and Edward Laurillard, London is soon to see "The Dummy." For the part of the boy detective they have engaged Lauri de Frece.

Julie Herne, daughter of the late James A. Herne, will head the cast presenting harles Sumner's drama, "The Natural aw," which opened last week in New

Admirers of Victor Herbert will be pleased to know that he will direct the orchestra tomorrow night in his musical comedy "The Only Girl," at the Belasco Theater.

"Under the Red Robe" is by the same author as "A Gentleman of France," in which Kyrle Bellew starred some years ago.

"Our Children" had its first performance on any stage at New Haven last week. Louis K. Anspacher is the author of the comedy. It opens in New York tomorrow night.

Elsie Janis opened her season in

omerset Maugham, written under con-ract with the late Charles Frohman, s now completed, and it is announced he Frohman management will produce

The break between Billie Burke and

ter, and is one of the three women who have played a long metropolitan en-

nave played a long metropolitan engagement in it.

General Manager James Thatcher has stored a coup by securing for Grand Army week in Washington David Belasco's big success. "The Grand Army Man." This is the first David Warfield play which Mr. Belasco has ever released for stock, and it is announced that only Poll's will be allowed to play it. It should make as well as the general public.

"Ned Wayburn's Town Topics" will have its first presentation at the Century Theater, New York city, Thursday night. Mr. Wayburn calls the huge entertainment "a musical fun-show. It has twenty scenes, thirty musical numbers, nearly 100 in a "beauty chorus," thirty boys, 200 supernumeraries, and over a score and a half of principals.

The agreement was signed.

Lidy, who had done the washing for Pr. Jones for several decades at least, found out one day that certain mysterious objects were moved in by the ded of night into the back door of the medical college of which the doctor was president. She also learned that persons who furnished these mysterious objects were given \$25.

One day she went to the doctor and said to him:

"Doctah, does you all want de body of a real ole man up to dat college?"

The doctor said they wouldn't mind, and Lidy promised to deliver the goods in two days.

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Manager Robbins of Keith's has be-gun special preparations for the en-tertainment of the G. A. R. veterans the week beginning September 27.

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Puccini's opera, "Madam Butterfly," this season will be given by the Boston Grand Opera Company, as it has never been given before. Its leading roles will be taken by singers of nationalities corresponding to the characters of the story—Riccardo Martin, American tenor, as Lieut. Pinkerton; Thomas Chalmers, American baritone, as the United States consul; Elizabeth Campbell, American mezzo-soprano, as Kate Pinkerton, and Miura Zukkury, the Japanese lyric soprano, who was educated at the Conservatory of Music in Nagasaki and had operatic training in Italy and Russia, as Madam Butterfly. The Boston Grand Opera Company will be combined with the Pavlowa Imperial Ballet Russe for a season in Boston and a tour of other cities.

David Bispham, the American baritone, supported by Mme. Marie Narelle, soprano; Miss Kathleen Coman, pianist; Miss Idelle Patterson, mezzo-soprano; Henri Barron, tenor, and Graham Harris, violinist, will offer this season, beginning in October, a miscellaneous concert called "The Rehearsal," and the one-act play, "Adelaide," in which Mr. Bispham will appear as Beethoven, the composer. The latter depicts a romantic episode in the great composer's life with the Countess Julia Guicciardi, to whom his "Moonlight Sonata" was dedicated.

# They Never Hurry.

From the Yonkers Statesman.

Patience—He asked her to send an answer to him in a hurry.

Patrice—And did she?

"No; she sent it by a messenger boy."

A Nasty One.

HEARD AND SEEN HERE AND THERE.

By Earl Godwin.

Introducing Maj. Gen. Hugh Scott, igal was simply endeavoring to live of his dad. He's a regular fighter, as a glimpse at He's a regular fighter, as a glimpse at his fingers will show—that is, a glimpse at what is left of them. A couple of until he had scarcely a thing left. Then

Moros claim the honor of having sniped Gen. Scott's fingers, but it is gen erally believed that they sought their graves shortly after having done the sniping. However, they left enough soldier to give one the impression that Gen. Scott is a giant in action and a You remember, don't you, when Gen

cott came out of the west to be made chief of staff and all the boys were writing about the methods he used in writing about the methods he used in taming whole Indian tribes single-handed? They used to tell how he would go off into the mountains and lead a once blood-thirsting scalping party by the hand as if they were little girls going to a party in their clean new frocks. To use an old phrase, he seemed to have every redskin, from the Apache of the Colorado River canyon to the Sloux of the Dakota Bad Lands, answering to his beck and call. He either gave them all an injection of morphine or scared the tar out of morphine or scared the tar out of them, and morphine is hard to get in the Indian country.

This theory of the general's scaring properties is borne out somewhat by a knowledge of what he did to Gov. May-torena of Sonora. You remember also



Amelia Bingham was recently taken ill in Chicago and could not reach Los Angeles in time to take her part in "The New Henrietta." Laura Hope Crews was secured, and, it is said, went through the part after one day's study.

border to tell the Mexican uplifters to quit shooting Americans. He came back with a signed agreement from Maytorena, and since then there has not been quite so much wanton destruction of American lives and proportion in the Maytorena jurisdiction. erty in the Maytorena jurisdiction. You may think it was done through diplomatic channels, but in reality there wasn't any more diplomacy in it

"Maytorena," he said, in short, sharp and gruff businesslike tones, "I want you to promise to keep out of Naco and quit shooting up Americans."

Gov. Maytorena began a long harangue about how much he thought of the United States, but he carefully avoided saying anything about making

sharp jerky tones, "I want you to do me a favor."

Certainly, Gov. Maytorena would be Certainly, Gov. Maytorena would be were proposed for membership. It was

the Frohman Company, on account of her appearance in "the movies," is complete. Announcements say the actress will appear under her husband's management the coming season, in a new play.

Certainly, Gov. Maytorena would be very glad to do the honored chief of staff of ze great Unita States a favor. "I want you to repair all bridges from your territory across the Colorado into the United States."

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Florence Martin, who will play "Peg" at the Belasco next week, introduced this character to Boston during the long run of the comedy there last winlong run of the comedy there last winlong run of the three women who The agreement was signed.



Asked her what was the trouble.

creased to a fortnight. Doctor Jones sent for Lidy and asked her what was sent for Lidy and asked her what was the trouble:

"Shucks, doctah," she said with dis-gust "what yo' think; that husban' o' mine done do. He done got well and gone back to drivin' his ash wagon."

The prodigal son in this case is named Joseph Warren and he hails from the town of Oradell, which is a collection of bird houses overhanging the raging Hackensack river, which winds its way for full fifty miles on the frontier of Bergen county, N. J. He had left the old home to go to the great city and make a great fortune, but after having spent a year writing. but after having spent a year writing for newspapers that would not accept him as a genius he began to write for money. That is, he sent letters home pleading for remittances.

The father of the prodigal sent answers of various sorts to these plead-ing notes, ranging from checks to harsh words, but the checks became scarcer and the harsh words became

As time went on, the prodigal began His Peals of Laughter Ring



His father's family was just gathering around the dining table, and the cining around the dining table, and the cold gent had cast an eye upon the vacant place, wondering when he would receive another how! for funds, Just at that moment a door opened and a small boy handed in, a note. Here's the very note:

"Dear Dad: Please meet me down by the old mill with a suit of clothes and some shoes. I have a hat. Yours, BILL."

Boston seems to be waking up. During a parade through the narrow and ing a parade through the narrow and the next bit of road through in glasses to see whether it was possible to go on, that chauffeur turned to him.

"They got my goat last week," said the may be observed whenever a chemical elements such as zirconium, and, when heated by the electric current to its normal temperature of some short-to-pieces house, while the officer in charge examined the next bit of road through his glasses to see whether it was possible to go on, that chauffeur turned to him.

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Elsie Janis opened her season in "Miss Information." a new musical comedy by Paul Dickey and Charles W. Goddard, at Rochester last Monday night. The piece gives Miss Janis a half dozen character studies.

Several of the regular members of the Poli Company had vacations last week, as the cast for "Jerry" was small, but they will all be on hand this week in "Excuse Me." which requires a big company.

The wildest enthusiasm has greeted are greek plays in the University of Calis of Greek pla



decided that a member of the club who sued. Mrs. Norcross, chairman of the educational committee, reported that one meeting had been held, when the one meeting had been held, when the that he looked almost kittenish. One below their normal melting points. ruddy and smiling and almost—not quite
—plump. The civilian thought bitterly
that he looked almost kittenish. One
could almost pet him. The civilian
thought he'd really like to see this boy at
a tea in London. He would bring something sincere and youthful and invigorating into the stale air. But here—

"The fool's actually laughing," said the
civilian to himself, choking back his
anger. "Why do they let such pups go to
war?"

observed that they may remain molten
even if cooled several hundred degrees
below their normal melting points.
When this is carried too far, however,
solidification suddenly occurs, accompanied by a little flash of light, probably due to the sudden rise of temperature and a roughening or corrugation
of the surface.

Clothing for Cows. ing held in July, when a talk on home economics was given by Miss Ruby Beyers, teacher of domestic science in Cleveland. Mrs. Martina Evans, chair-man of the art committee, stated that this committee held one meeting to plan the work for the year, and that it plan the work for the year, and that it was hoped all members interested in this work would join, as the present membership is only three. Mrs. Sadie McMechan, chairman of the music committee, reported the taking up of the history of music and that it contemplated organizing a sextet. The philanthropic committee reported that it investigated the needy case of a resident of Petworth which had been presented to the club and did much to help same. Mrs. M. H. Gutelius, chairman of the civic committee, reported that the

civilian to himsen, anger. "Why do they let such pups go to war?"

He finally decided that it was the boy's first experience at the front. The boy didn't know—he didn't have imagination enough to fill in the picture—that he was in imminent, momentary danger of death. Just an empty headed kid. Why he wasn't even properly dressed for the base wasn't even properly dressed for the sion or another, to provide cows with clothing. Not long ago, along the Mission—road to San Mateo county, Cal. something wrong with his kilt and one legging was leather and the other woolen The boy made a shocking bad joke and the others laughed at it. The gray haired senior among the officers patted the boy on the back.

wearing a covering consisting of four ordinary barley sacks sewed together. The blankets were fastened by cords to the legs of the cows and tied about the

Smythe is the youngster who dragged a box of bombs down a trench, under a hail of shells, over and through the bodies of men who had been dead under the July sun for days. His men were killed to the last of them in the effort, but he got through, and the English were able to hold a vital angle in the line. He won the Victoria cross and the whole hearted admiration of a world.

But the civilian will always recall him as the innocent, almost cherubic merry boy who laughed at the shells shrieking overhead. To his dying day that civilian will say to himself when the name of Smythe, V. C., is mentioned:

"He was just a boy. Just a little, round cheeked boy." **BUT LAD IS MERRY** 

Out in Trenches as

Shells Fly.

But That Person Now Knows

Youngster Is Smythe, Winner

of Victoria Cross.

BY HERBERT COREY.

HAVRE, France, August 10 .- After

CIVILIAN DECLARES

JUST EMPTY HEADED.

### **CURIOUS PHASES OF ELECTRICAL CONDUCTING**

MOST substances possess the com mon quality or property of being better conductors of electricity when cold than when hot. Thus, while copper is ordinarily a much better conductor than iron, a copper wire at a brightred heat would not be much better in this respect than an iron wire at ordinary temperatures. Conversely, iron, by cooling to liquid-air temperature. may become almost as efficient a carrier of current as copper under usual

HAVRE, France, August 10.—After a time he began to hate the little lieutenant. He ought not to hate the boy. He knew that perfectly, he said afterward. But the boy was such a fool.

He set his face toward home. One day he set his face toward home and began to walk the long and weary way to Oradell. He arrived there about dinner time.

His father's family was just gathering around the dining table, and the cold around the dining table, and the habit of ducking his head whenever a chemical elements such as zirconium.

and some shoes. I have a hat Yours, BILL."

Boston seems to be waking up. During a parade through the narrow and adventurous streets of that ancient burg, Gov. Walsh had to head the procession on a horse. The animal probably had not been driven the many of the chauffeur, his under lip quivering the chauffeur, his under lip quivering and there was considerable speculation as to whether or not he would die of old age before the parade had reached its destination. As the governor appeared at the beginning of the route a man in the crowd on the sidewalk yelled out:

"Say governor, name your horse "Satety First."

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of the Germans. The noise overhead had become hellish. Shells shreiked continually. Sometimes one would explode so near at hand that earth crumbled from the trench walls.

"Here we are," said the staff officer, cheerily.

They were at a mere round hole in the ground at the end of a short communication trench. Once that hole had been what the British call a bombproof. Now, the British bombproof is too often dug on a level with the floor of the ditch, and the roof is merely logs and dirt. If a big shell hits it, it crumbles. The French start at the bottom of their ditch and dig down when they make bombproofs. They are almost safe. A few hours before a shell had blown in the roof of the control station. Another man volunteered as a telephone operator, and in some miraculous fashion dug out the instruments and wires and tied them together again, and the station was in operation as usual. It seemed the Germans had an inkling as to the location of that control station. The civilian could feel that the surface of the surrounding ground was being polka-dotted by the, shells.

"It was here that I began to hate that little lleutenant," said the civilian later.

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Lieutenant Who Laughed at War.

Not a fool precisely, either. Just absurdly and damnably jovial. He was stoo young for this sort of business, to begin with. For all a slight coloring of tan his soft cheeks looked as though a Wednesday and Sunday shave would do them quite well. He was short and the was of these globules it has been lineaged to the manual to the manual to the manual to the first and the whole rises rapidly to the freezing point. The amount of undercooling possible varies greatly with the circumstances, being limited usually to a few degrees; but in case of these globules it has been

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wearing a covering consisting of four the chain and did much to help same.

Mrs. M. H. Gutellus, chairman of the civic committee, reported that the civic committee, reported that the in a fairly good condition, and that the matter of a fitney service extending to Fetworth had been taken up with the same and the civic of Fetworth had been taken up with the same and th